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IMA-EUROPE DIRECTOR ENCOURAGES MAXIMUM CFC PARTICIPATION

As Americans, a key part of our history and national identity is our generosity toward others. Nowhere is this trait more evident than in the contributions being made every day by our Soldiers and civilians here at Installation Management Activity-Europe.

Each year we demonstrate our support to dozens of hard-working research, educational and charitable organizations through the Combined Federal Campaign. The CFC enables soldiers and civilians to help these organizations make an enormous - often life-saving - difference in the lives of people around the globe.

In the next few days, you will be contacted by your CFC Key Worker. He or she will provide you a booklet listing CFC agencies as well as the forms necessary to make an annual gift or to pledge your continuing support through payroll deductions.

Please take a close look at the array of organizations listed in your CFC booklet. It's hard to image a broader spectrum of groups and agencies working to better the lives of our families, our nation and our world.

One of the things I like most about CFC is its flexibility. We can make either one large contribution to a single organization or smaller amounts to several.

We live in challenging, yet exciting times. As part of the Army team, we're the kind of people who choose to make a difference. We do so by our duty to the nation; our service around the world; and our commitment to back our beliefs with tangible actions.

Over the years, in both military and civilian service, I've gained a tremendous sense of

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pride in my fellow workers. No matter how great our immediate challenge -- from global deployments, to assisting the victims of natural disasters, to building a garrison support organization -- we "go the extra mile" by also supporting the annual CFC fundraising campaign.

Our tradition of generosity continues this year. Whether your contribution to the Combined Federal Campaign is large or small, I urge you to join me in supporting this great effort.

Thank you again for your service and your generosity.

Mr. Russell Hall
Regional Director
IMA-Europe

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The U.S. Army Installation Management Agency, Europe (IMA-E) is one of seven regional offices created Oct. 1, 2002, as part of an Army-wide initiative to focus management of Army installations around the world under one organization. IMA-E is responsible for all facets of support for U.S. Army Soldiers and families in Europe from driver's licenses to child care to force protection. As the landlord for all U.S. Army facilities in Europe, IMA-E is responsible for infrastructure and continuing the Army's strong commitment to environmental protection. Its higher headquarters is located in Arlington, Va.